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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled METHOD FOR CUTTING FREEFORM SURFACES, CUTTING TOOL AND USE OF THE CUTTING TOOL, the specification of which was filed as PCT International Patent Application No. PCT/DE2004/000809 on April 17, 2004.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the aboveidentified specification, including the claims.

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